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# **Freight Committee**

Annotated Agenda Monday, December 7, 2020 – 10:00 a.m.

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# 1.0 Call to Order and Introductions

10:00 a.m.

- 2.0 Agenda Changes and Announcements
- 3.0 Approval of Minutes September 21, 2020

**ACTION REQUESTED: Approval** 

# 4.0 Approval of 2021 Meeting Schedule

For calendar year 2021, staff proposes to meet at 10 a.m. on the following days:

- ➤ Monday, February 22
- Monday, May 17
- Monday, September 20
- Monday, December 6

Additionally, staff will identify opportunities for possible joint meetings with other CMAP committees and/or regional site visits. ACTION REQUESTED: Approval

### 5.0 Climate Agenda

In 2019, CMAP leadership identified three ON TO 2050 plan implementation priorities: transportation, regional economy, and climate. Staff will present an overview of the FY21 Climate Focus Area work plan, as well as updates on project progress thus far. ACTION REQUESTED: Information/Discussion

## 6.0 2021 Call for Transportation Projects

CMAP staff will provide an overview of the 2021 call for projects for the regional Surface Transportation Program (STP) Shared Fund and Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program (CMAQ). These federal programs fund multi-modal surface transportation projects, including improvements to highways, traffic control, highway-rail grade crossings, truck routes, and alternative fuel vehicles and equipment. The presentation will include an overview of eligibility requirements, evaluation criteria, project selection schedule, and examples of previous successful applications for freight-related projects.

ACTION REQUESTED: Information/Discussion

# 7.0 2021 Committee Work Plan and Member Updates

An opportunity will be provided for committee members to discuss priorities for the Freight Committee's 2021 work plan and share brief updates on their organization's work.

**ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion** 

#### 8.0 Other Business

### 9.0 Public Comment

This is an opportunity for comments from members of the audience. Since this meeting will be held virtually, members of the public are encouraged to submit comments to **rthompto@cmap.illinois.gov** by December 4, 2020. Comments received prior to the meeting will be read into the record by staff. Additional comments will be accepted during the meeting. The amount of time available to speak will be at the chair's discretion. It should be noted that the time for the public comment period will immediately follow the last item on the agenda.

# 10.0 Next Meeting

Pending committee approval, the next meeting will be **February 22, 2021** at 10:00 a.m.

### 11.0 Adjournment

# **Freight Committee Members:**

CDOT		Joe Alonzo	_	ISTHA		Aimee Lee
Council	of Mayors	Elaine Bottomley	_	DuPage DOT		John Loper
C&K Tr	ucking	Mike Burton	_	Consultant		Libby Ogard
Cook Co	ounty	Vacant	_	CDA		Adam Rod
UPS		Raymond Drake	_	IDOT		DeAnna Smith
Will Co	unty	Colin Duesing	_	Class I Railro	ad	Herbert Smith*
Illinois T	Γrucking	Eric Gallien**	_	Class I Railro	ad	Erik Varela
IIPD		Vacant	_	TXX		Peter Wolff
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